

Co., Baltimore, Md., and transported from the State of Maryland into the State of Texas, charging adulteration in violation of the Food and Drugs Act.

Adulteration of the article was alleged in substance in the libel for the reason that it was decomposed and putrid.

On November 30, 1918, no claimant having appeared for the property, judgment of condemnation and forfeiture was entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product should be destroyed by the United States marshal.

C. F. MARVIN, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*

**6832. Adulteration of eggs. U. S. \* \* \* v. 94 Cases of Eggs. Default decree of condemnation and forfeiture. Good portion ordered sold. Unfit portion ordered destroyed.** (F. & D. No. 9336. I. S. No. 5807-r. S. No. C-972.)

On August 13, 1918, the United States attorney for the Northern District of Illinois, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district a libel for the seizure and condemnation of 94 cases, each containing 30 dozen eggs, at Chicago, Ill., alleging that the article had been shipped on or about August 6, 1918, by W. D. Law, Springfield, Mo., and transported from the State of Missouri into the State of Illinois, and charging adulteration in violation of the Food and Drugs Act.

Adulteration of the article was alleged in the libel for the reason that it consisted in part of a decomposed animal substance, and for the further reason that it consisted wholly of a decomposed animal substance.

On August 15, 1918, no claimant having appeared for the property, judgment of condemnation and forfeiture was entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product should be separated under the supervision of a representative of this department, the portion found fit for human food to be sold, and the unfit portion to be destroyed by the United States marshal.

C. F. MARVIN, *Acting Secretary of Agriculture.*

**6833. Misbranding of Pratts Hog Cholera Specific. U. S. \* \* \* v. 19 Two-pound Packages of Pratts Hog Cholera Specific. Default decree of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction.** (F. & D. No. 9337. I. S. No. 4873-p. S. No. E-1122.)

On September 24, 1918, the United States attorney for the Northern District of Florida, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district a libel for the seizure and condemnation of 19 two-pound packages of Pratts Hog Cholera Specific, remaining unsold in the original unbroken packages at Tallahassee, Fla., alleging that the article had been shipped on or about March 16, 1918, by the Pratt Food Co., Philadelphia, Pa., and transported from the State of Pennsylvania into the State of Florida, charging misbranding in violation of the Food and Drugs Act, as amended. The article was labeled: "Price 50 cents. Pratts Hog Cholera Specific. Made by Pratt Food Co. Toronto, Canada. Philadelphia, Pa. 2 lbs. net. Blood purifier. Disease eradicator \* \* \* For hog cholera and other hog diseases \* \* \* purifies the blood \* \* \* will not only prevent but cure hog cholera \* \* \* Pratts Hog Cholera Specific is a positive remedy for Thumps, Diphtheria, Scours, Catarrh \* \* \* Rheumatism, Apoplexy \* \* \* It is especially prepared to prevent and cure diseases peculiar to hogs."

Misbranding of the article was alleged in the libel for the reason that the statements borne on the labels of the packages were false, untrue, and misleading in that said packages contained no ingredient or combination of ingredients capable of producing the curative and therapeutic effects claimed therefor in such statements so labeled on the outside of the packages, but the article contained therein was composed essentially of sodium chlorid, ferrous sulphate,